

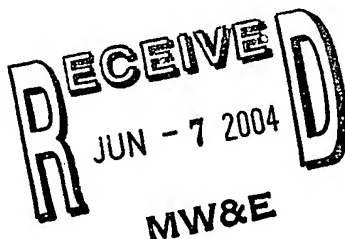


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## NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwriting, interlineations, folds, and copy marks. See Figure(s) 14-16.
  - The drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow chart that was originally not in English that has been marked up to include the English text) (see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1)). See Figure(s) 1,2,4,5,7-18.

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Shinichiro YAMAUCHI, et al.

Serial No.: 10/798,341

Filed: March 12, 2004

For: DATA COMMUNICATION METHOD AND DATA COMMUNICATION  
APPARATUS



: Customer Number: 20277

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: Group Art Unit: 2681

: Examiner: Not yet assigned

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Sir:

We are in receipt of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed June 3, 2004.

In response to this Notice, submitted herewith are 18 sheets of substitute drawings in compliance with CFR 1.84. If anything further is needed, please contact the undersigned immediately.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

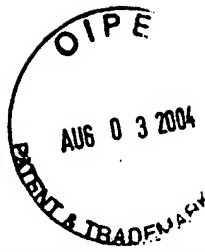
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Sir:

At the time the above application was filed, informal drawings were presented with the application.

Eighteen (18) sheets of formal drawings are submitted herewith.

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